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The New House Leader.

There is considerable interest felt in the man who will lead the democ-He is a North Carolinian, forty-five years old, a rattling stump speaker. an effective debater, and resolute. He is more emphatic than diplomatic, but not a trouble-maker by instinct, nor contentions for contention's sake

He is strong at home. His first appearance in the House was as a member of the Fifty-seventh Congress. and his people have kept him in commission ever since. He may be classes, therefore, among the veterans on Capitol Hill, familiar with public questions and the congressional methods of doing business.

He has reached leadership as the result of industry and intelligent party service. His advance has been steady rather than meteoric. He knows how from experience, rather than from sudden inspiration.

Mr. Kitchin succeeds Mr. Underwood, who in the office of floor leader has been more diplomatic than em phatic. This is not to say that the Alabamian lacks directness or firmness, but only that he is a good negotiator and compromiser-some-

thing very essential in politics. Mr. Underwood at the beginning of must reckon not only with his own been expected to "do things" under In the main, he has acquitted himkept his hold on his party in the with the White House. He and Mr. the exception of the Panama canal tolls. On that matter he stood out against the presidential pressure.

Will this prove true of Mr. Ketchin? He, too, will be expected to work in harmony with the White House; and

have less than thirty.

the daily papers.

entitled to proceed in a deliberate should be investigated. manner in the selection of the question that shall be the subject of its deliberations.

In order to make the effect complete the Lusitania might have summoned all hands to sing "The Star Spangled Banner."

Mr. Payne and the Tariff.

sentative Payne delivered in the absolute neutrality. House Sunday were warm and sincere. Political friends and foes mation about public questions and the ground hog. marked ability in presenting them. Speaker Clark-minority leader on the floor when Mr. Payne was majority leader-was characteristically generous in his words of apprecia-

tariff. He knew the subject in all of which, if true, illustrates the remarkits ramifications and bearings. He able thoroughness of the German ranked with Mr. McKinley and Mr. military organization in preparation Dingley as an authority from the for war. Recently trawlers drag- table neighbor. protection point of view, and that ging for mines in the waters around is high praise. He succeeded Mr. the British Isles, it is reported, the weary father. "That comes nearer Dingley as chairman of ways and brought to the surface casks filled being a kind word than anything I means, and was at the head of the with gasoline-petrol it is called over have heard today. Nobody else owns committee when the tariff bill bear- there-which from their appearance up to getting half a night's sleep."

ing his name passed the House. vision was condemned by the coun- break of hostilities, to be fished up try at the polls. A democratic by submarines and used for fuel at House was elected in 1910-a little long distances from base. Now a more than a year after the enact- systematic search for these sunken ment of the law-with that revision stores is in progress, and it is said the issue. The republicans had di- to be the hope of the British advided on the tariff while the debate miralty to handicap the German subwas on in Congress, and now divided marine operations in the projected in the campaign before the people, blockade of British waters which is and the democrats, as subsequently to begin February 18. It is quite in 1912, marched through the divided believable that these casks were in ranks to victory.

But the Payne law was not the waters before the war with a view Payne bill. After leaving Mr. to just such use as indicated. Payne's hands the measure under- Throughout he hostilities of the last

went changes of which he did not ap- six months evidences have accualtogether approve.

Both men, however, took the same party in the circumstances, and decided to fight within their party for efficiency the German war machine what they still desired in the way of is second to none in the history of tariff revision on protection lines.

Here is a point for those men, lemocrats and republicans alike, who assert that the tariff must be recompetent either to gather or digest members, as a result of vigorous systhe information necessary to the knows more about the tariff than Mr. Payne did, and yet Mr. Payne's knowledge and judgment could not secure from Congress a tariff law answering his ideas of the country's tariff needs. Would a commission's such cities as Buffalo, Cleveland, St. recommendations have better fortune?

Congress never lacks for sufficient information on the tariff question. The whole matter is in interpreting and applying the information; and only an amendment to the Constitution could remove that responsiracy on the floor of the next House. bility from Congress to a commis-

The Schoolhouse Bill.

result of endeavors that have continued for several years to secure a wider use of the school plant for community purposes. In some respects the bill already passed by the Senate is superior to that of the House, the adoption of which is now advocated by the Senate committee. The main principle of schoolhouse utilization. however, is embraced in the House bill and the differences are not so material as to affect the result.

With the schools available for meetings and other uses approved by the board of education, Washington will be given the benefit of a plant that has cost a great sum of money this Congress found himself in a sitoccupied in nearly eighty years. He ated. The schools may now be used, party and the other party in the branch stations, and the absence from House, but with a very determined the bill now pending in the Senate of "party" in the White House. He has additional specific authorization will new and very difficult circumstances. Library as a supplement of the public not lessen the efficiency of the Public self well, in the sense that he has creating it declares it to be. Early House and kept in pleasant touch with a favorable report from the Sen-Wilson have differed about some advantage will be taken of the first opportunity to secure a vote of con-

Gas Quality and Price.

At a meeting of the Northeast Washington Citizens' Association the there is every reason to believe that other night the subject of the quality Mr. Wilson will press a program on the next House with as much persistency as he has done on the present House.

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T For this reason note by current enty-cent gas was declared to be the gossip has been taken of the differ- desire of the community. This subence that exists between Mr. Kitchin ject is in effect now before the puband Mr. Wilson on the ship purchase lic utilities commission, which is pro- of reform. proposition. Mr. Kitchin is opposed ceeding as a preliminary to any rate to that, and if it goes over to the next regulation with a physical valuation House and is urged there, he will be of the properties of the corporations placed in an embarrassing position. supplying the public with illuminants anchor. Mr. Underwood has had an enormous and transportation. Just when the majority to handle. Mr. Kitchin will commission will be ready to act on the basis of full information cannot be foretold. Until it has acquainted Representative Ben Johnson's de- itself with the financial foundation sire to know who writes all the pieces of the gas company and its cost of in the political news at least puts him production and distribution it cannot beyond suspicion of being among well undertake a rate revision. Mean- to Chicago?" those who pretend they do not read while, however, the complaint that As a deliberative body the Senate is the adoption of a new standard,

The eulogies of the late Repre-political dissension defined as one of the stair."

united in according him wide infor- to tread softly for fear of disturbing

Mr. Payne made a specialty of the comes in a cablegram from England, and size indicated that they had As we all know, the Payne re- been "planted" there before the outfact deliberately placed in British

prove, and reached Mr. Taft's hands mulated of the minute prevision of n a form of which Mr. Taft did not the German government in the matter of preparation for all possible contingencies. Whatever sentiment view of their duty. They accepted regarding the conflict may be held, it the best they could get from their must be admitted by everybody that in the matter of thoroughness and

The Y. W. C. A. Campaign.

the world.

Recently the Young Men's Chrisferred to a commission of business tian Association of this city underexperts for satisfactory treatment; took a membership campaign and in that members of Congress are not six days enrolled more than 1,000 new tematic work. Now the Young work. There is not a so-called ex- Women's Christian Association of are infected with vermin. Cobb told wheat flour, the law which placed ment of 2,280, is to begin a similar campaign to last through February 27, its slogan being "Washington city at the head of the list, passing avoided, Louis, Los Angeles and Portland, The Young Women's Christian As-

sociation is doing for the young women of this city what the Y. M. C. A. is doing for the young men. It is furnishing them a gathering place, with educational facilities, and a gymnasium, opportunities for social intercourse amid wholesome surroundings, and is of both moral and practical advantage to its members. District committee for the passage of the House bill which provides for the utilization of the school buildings as social centers probably insures the enactment of this measure at the present esssion if the way is opened for general legislation in the upper house. This action will be a most gratifying Those who are directing the work cerning typhus.

Although the officers of the medical for a permanent home for the association, which will undoubtedly prove, when secured, a strong drawing card for membership. Mcanwhile it is important that the rolls be filled so that the organization can gain headway while waiting for its full equipment, and it is to be hoped that the product of the control of the contr present endeavor to put "Washington first" will succeed, for this success will be decidedly for Washington's good.

> A New Jersey hen is credited with having laid 3,000 eggs. Figuring eggs at a nickel apiece, this means \$150 as the cash receipts from one hen. The city dweller may yet rise in protest against local ordinances which prevent him from keeping a chicken instead of a parrot or a canary bird.

> Complimentary suggestions as to presidential possibilities will come pouring in for the next year or so. The final process of elimination will, lacking as to complimentary features.

> Time brings its compensations. Had the thirteen original colonies remained perfectly loval, there might now be no neutral American flag to protect English ships.

> Difficulties surrounding a merchant marine are great indeed if they are to be measured by the turbulence that mere mention of the matter suffices

The "didn't know it was loaded"

without the satisfaction of attributing officials over the country are already

The shipping bill seem to have a great deal of difficulty in weighing

SHOOTING STARS.

A New Tyrant.

Oh, Cupid's bow is tossed away, Fate leaves us to repine; Yet as before men pause to say, 'Wilt be my valentine?'

No more a lassie toward us floats In fabrics light and gay. The gowns are modeled after coats Of soldiers in the fray.

Instead of bows of fragile curve We see a monster gun. Instead of arrows we observe A shot that weighs a ton.

No longer does this Cupid seem A gentle, pranksome boy. He will be ruthlessly supreme Or else he will destroy

WHAT THE GOVERNMENT IS DOING FIFTY YEARS AGO

The report of the death of the sur-geon general of the Austrian medical ate interests of the citizen."

Typhus will serve to awaken the Fever. medical authorities of all of powers to one of the greatest dangers faced by the millions of soldlers on Potato the battlefields. This is the opinion of the American health officers and army and navy Medical Corps men who are

servers who have accompanied the Euopean armies have brought back sto Washington, with a present enroll- plain facts in plain language and in a tax on mixed flour, passed during th plain facts in plain language and in a recent talk said that "there is hardly a man in the field who is not lousy." His later written statements along this line have convinced health officers that the spread of typhus could hardly be avoided, because, as is generally known, the dangerous disease is spread of the government's experiments with notato meal flour, will necessary the convenience of the government's experiments with notato meal flour, will necessary the convenience of the government's experiments with notato meal flour, will necessary the convenience of the government's experiments with notato meal flour, passed during the spanish-American war, has discouraged the manufacture of this product. While the law and internal revenue regulations which restrict the manufacture of wheat flour perhaps will not be refirst." It wants to put the Capital the spread of typhus could hardly be ust as bubonic plague is spread by the

In Mexico and some of the southern American countries typhus is almost a national disease. In Mexico it has caused the deaths of thousands of persons annually. In 1910 three parties were sent from this country to Mexico to investigate the disease, and one man in each party contracted it, two of the three dying. Dr. Joseph Goldberger, a surgeon in the United States public health service, survived the disease and has since written what medical men consider some of the most authoritative accounts which have been published concerning typhus. national disease. In Mexico it has caused

spread has not been given out until the death of this prominent official.

Typhus is a disease which has always been found where large bodies of men were gathered together for a long time. It was formerly called "camp fever," "ship fever" or "jail fever," George Washington's brother died of it during the revolutionary war. It is a disease of temperate and cold climates and no epidemic has been recognized in the

pidemic has been recognized in the Inited States since 1891-92. In the secions of Mexico at an elevation of 6,000

fected food or water and typhus by the bite of the louse. There is danger from typhus only when the insect appears on typhus only when the insect appears on the scene, and health officers point out that the means of prevention of this dangerous disease is to encourage bod-ily cleanliness. It is believed that if the spread of the disease can be check-ed until the spring months there will be much less danger than there is at present from it on the European battleas usual, be comparatively brief and present from it on the European battle field, because with warm weather there will come opportunities for bathing and new clothes will be furnished and the old ones cleansed

"The mechanism of self-government

Monte Carlo continues to suffer the school superintendents and other

The Germans would recognize the Lusi-tania if she flew a Mother Hubbard.

John Bull's favorite songs these days are "The Star Spangled Banner," "The Stars and Stripes Forever" and "Three Cheers for the Red, White and Blue."

From the New York Evening Sun.

Must we now read it, "Once an Eng-lishman always a neutral flag raiser"?

not expected the flag there on British ships.

From the Pittsburgh Gazette-Times.

With wheat prices jumping skywar the belligerent European and with six-cent bread either a reality or in sight in many citie throughout the country Flour. housewives with interest the experi-

ment of Agriculture has made with po tato meal mixed with wheat flour. Alries that practically all of the soldiers cent potato flour and the remainde potato meal flour will, nevertheless, carry much interest to Americans who have given little attention to the us

Germany and Austria.

Farmers of the country who have suffered in recent years because of the low prices of potatoes will welcome the news of the government's experiments looking toward a new use for the popular tuber. Although the production of potatoes in the United States last year was larger than in any other last year was larger than in any othe season since the compilation of the Agricultural Department statistics be Agricultural Department statistics began sixty years ago, excepting one year, the farmer's profit was less than it has been for more than ten years. Last year there were produced in this country more than 405,000,000 bushels of potatoes, against 332,000,000 in 1913. The average value of potatoes to producers, however, in 1913 was nearly 69 cents, whereas in 1914 it was less than 49 cents.

All the European countries are far ahead of the United States in the per acre production of potatoes, Germany.

acre production of potatoes, Germany for instance, producing over a ten year period more than 196 bushels per per acre of potatoes in this country averaged as high as in Europe there would be such an oversupply that the would be such an oversupply that the bottom would drop out of the potato market and the farmers would suffer a heavy loss in raising this crop.

The report that bubonic plague had broken out in Havana did not come en tirely as a surprise to officials of the

Plague in United States public health serv-Havana. ice in Washington. Although only one human case of the disease has developed, the government's be found a letter from a citizen making health officers are much concerned over the same suggestion:

to take up the work of ratproofing the city and the eradication of the rat "The mechanism of self-government will be built on crumbling sand unless its foundations.

Instruction in are laid deep with an effective civic education." This statement in a report on the trend of civic education, which has been prepared by Arthur William Dunn, for Dr. P. Claxton, commissioner of the United States bureau of education, exsult the recurring outbreaks of plague suit the recurring outbreaks of plague.

SINOTING STARS.

IN PRINCE DISSONS.

Where The Is Comment.

The Sultan of Turks lad it says the world shows of a special control by the survey and its contr

FLYING THE AMERICAN FLAG.

From the Detroit Free Press.

We can imagine a lot of things, but we can't see how the Stars and Stripes on the Lusitania would fool anybody who knew anything about steamboats.

From the Milwaukee Free Press.

England in a way shows its high regard for the American flag when it seizes upon it to protect its own ship-

tania if she flew a Mother Hubbard.

From the Cincinnati Times-Star.

Uncle Sam has long had an ambition
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Were last raised over British ships.

to see the Stars and Stripes once more carried into distant seas. But he had not expected the flag to be carried Britannia rules the w

From the Milwaukee Journal.

From the Chattanooga Times.

From the Birmingham News.

IN THE STAR

The Army of the Potomac, after some eeks of inactivity, got into action

Renewed Activity netry years ago and resumed ofat the Front. fensive operations against Lee at Richmond, News

of this appeared in The Star of February 7, 1865, indicating that Grant ad concluded that the time had come to put the final pressure on the Confederate capital. The operations reported in this issue were not of any particular magnitude, but were for extending and advancing the Federal lines.

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"Nothing has reached us confirmatory or contradictory of the report alluded to by us in our first edition that Grant has gained a position commanding the Southside road. At all accounts, however, he has certainly gained positions nearly, if not quite, as advantageous to us and damaging to the enemy as the command of the Southside road. Thus he would appear to have broken the line of Confederate works guarding the Boynton plank road, by which nine-tenths of the supplies to Lee's army is now wagoned. We are satisfied, too, that these successes were gained with remarkably little loss on our side, not one-third what the enemy suffered. The rebels are said to have suffered terribly in their desperate attempts to retrieve the ground they lost."

ors. without gatheries, and in the runs for engine seats crinolines collapsed most ex-traordinarily. The reporters gallery was also occupied by the fair sex, much to the distinction of the representatives of the press."

Visitors to Paris have frequently urged that Washington should be given treatment

Proposed Treatment ally similar of Pennsylvania Ave. to that which prevails in the French capital. In The Star of February 10, 1865, is to

the outbreak because it is the third stime within the last two and one-half years that plague has broken out in Havana. Unlike New Orleans, whose authorities set about immediately on a campaign to eradicate the rats carrying plague-infected fleas, the Cuban city has been slow to push work of plague prevention, notwithstanding the frequent discovery of the disease on the island in recent years.

The people of New Orleans were quick to take up the work of ratproofing the city and the city and the city and the creater of the care arranged for families, which can be rented, furnished or unfurnished, for a month, year or term of years. They are built of stone and correspond in the style of their architecture. The second story is the city and the creater of the care of year or term of years. They are built of stone and correspond in the style of their architecture. The second story projects beyond the first, which is used for stores, and it is supported by large stone pillars or arches, leaving a cov-ered pavement between them and the

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Oranges piled in a pyramid yellow and Grape juice that tempts like the oldest of win Pineapple luscious and levely and mellow, and— Ah! that this City of Sweetness were mine!

But it is only the evening of Monday and All of my salary has vanished in air; Darn it! I will have a strawberry sundae and Chocolate creams and a gumdrop, so there!

MISS GREEN.

Her name was Mabel—Mabel Green— And yet somebow it did not fit her; For in her eyes three shone the sheen Of violets that gleam and giltter, Her checks were plak anemones— No lovelier you may encounter— A very banquet for the bees. There was no trace of "green" about her! Britannia rules the waves, but she is not, it seems, above waving a United States flag if it will help her to escape from a German submarine.

That flying of another flag by the Lusitania probably will afford about as much protection as an ostrich gets when it closes its eyes. Her brow was like a lily flower Upon a summer morning sunny; Her hafr was like the golden dower Of kingcups with their hoarded honey. Her name, it seemed a shame, I ween, Her red lips were so shaped for kisses And so I blotted out the "green." By changing Mabel's Miss to Mrs.! From the Columbia State.

At any rate, this war has done wenders in the way of popularizing the American flag.

TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY OF CHINA

A dispatch dated Peking the 7th intant declares that Japan has threatened China with military Japanese action to enforce its demands. The note appears

Demands. sensational and besides When the government at Peking demanded the evacuation, Germany refused, and in turn demanded and received a lease of Kiaochou bay for ninety-one years, plus 193 square miles of the province of Shantung, and the recognition of a sphere of influence lister of justice, in the Asahi Shimbun. This journal declares that "the paper upon which the Japanese demands upon China are written is water marked with warships and cannon." In order to render the statement more defined by the statement more described by the statement at Peking demanded the evacuation, Germany refused, and in turn demanded and received a lease of Kiaochou bay for ninety-one years, plus 193 square miles of the province of Shantung, and the recognition of a sphere of influence equal to 2.750 square miles.

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promptly suppressed." Regarding these demands the Asahi Shimbun is quoted as saying: "Japan asks China to solve the Manchurian and Mongolian questions by the extension of the lease of the Port Arthur, Dairen and South Manchurian railway zone to ninety-nine years and by granting to Japanese the right of residence and land ownership in Mondership. the country as treaty ports, and opening of various rivers to for-navigation. She asks also rail-concessions."

peared in a special edition which was

Just why Japan should require that secrecy be maintained in these negotiations is not apparent. for in the Februar number of the Journal for Secrecy. of the American

siatic Association there is an article by Mr. George Bronson Rea, M. E., en-titled, "Neutral Thoughts on Neutralization of Shantung," in which Japanese nection I deem it interesting to quote

from Mr. Rea's article:
"Japan has promised to return Kiaochou to China. There is no reason at
this time to question the honorable intention. She has given her word, and ceptible of proof that there has never until it is broken public opinion should reserve judgment in criticism. If Japan int is broken public opinion should reserve judgment in criticism. If Japan hands Kiaochou back to China, as she has promised to do, and Tsingtau is tollows that "dollar diplomacy" and "open-door policy" are each impracticable because of the existing conditions and the rivalries for China's trade.

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the same day a proclamation was issued to the effect that Germany had no designs on Chinese territory, but she would retain possession until reparation was made for the murder of

up to the time of the fall of Klaochou Germany had spent \$125,000,000 in the development of the colony. After the occupation of Klaochou by Germany, Russia leased Port Arthur March 27 1888, Postago Port

The Shantung railway agreement was signed March 6, 1898. This document practically abandoned to the German government the whole province of Shantung—at least its economic development. Japan has fallen heir to whatever rights Germany may have acquired in the Shantung. It should be borne in mind, however, that the United States, in a note to Japan when the latter issued her ultimatum to Germany, placed herself on record as "expecting to be consulted in any territorial changes incident to the taking of Klaochou," which was interpreted as implying that the United States of forrailon to for it is a first of the faking of Kiaochou," which was interpreted as implying that the United States would protect the integrity of China. It is rumored that President Yuan-Shi-Kai, although elected in October, 1913, for a period of five years, has already published his intention of axtending that term to ten years. The President of the United States, on the occasion of Yuan's election, tendered his congratulations on the five-year plan, and not for ten years.

ment of 596 was excessive. He reduced the number to 300. Reductions at this rate are ominous and no doubt he car

> Much has been written about the policy of the United States in China, denominating in turn No American the "American policy," the "dollar diplomacy Policy. policy." With all due respect to the writers and diplomats who treat these questions seriously I confess I find them pure delusions, mere fancies or catch words void of meaning. ould been an American policy in China, and

adopt at this hour the celebrated ex-pression of Louis XIV, "I am the State."

prestige to the American name China by the achievements of Americans, who organized what

wen, anynow, that ship purchase dis-cussion is accomplishing one good But she needs a submarine wire-fence thing. It is keeping the senators on the and an armored roof! job. Yesterday all ninety-six of them answered to a roll call, and that is something that hasn't happened before for a mighty long time.

From the Philadelphia Evening Ledger,

It is wicked for the opponents of the ship purchase bill to filibuster for its defeat, but when the friends of the measure filibuster to delay a vote until they have rallied all their forces is likely to develop into another of they are acting patriotically! From the St. Paul Dispatch.

The filibuster of the republicans in the United States Senate almost certainly will result in preventing the congressmen from beginning their summer vacation March 4.

From the Rochester Post Express.

American shipping interests will continue to hope that the German blockade of the British coasts will be large-

From the Buffalo Commercial. What sort of a flag is the adminissort of a flag is the adminisgoing to raise to bring the gibill safe into port?

Providence Journal.

However, it is hoped that the beligreent nations will permit the ships of neutral countries to lie in their home ports unmenaced. rom the Providence Journal.

is likely to develop into another of those mere scraps of paper for which the war has already become famous.

Germany has explained away so much about her "blockade proclama-tion" that it would take a periscope to find out if there's anything left.

From the Chicago Evening Post

From the Los Angeles Express

Will the ship purchase bill survive the agony it is going through? a cotemporary asks. Well, if it does its best friends won't be able to recognize the harder she tries the wiser she will show herself.